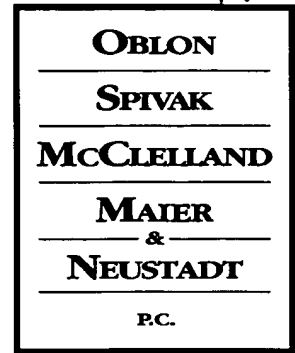




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Applicants: Seikoh YOSHIDA  
Filing Date: March 31, 2004  
For: NITRIDE-BASED COMPOUND SEMICONDUCTOR  
ELECTRON DEVICE  
Group Art Unit: 2811  
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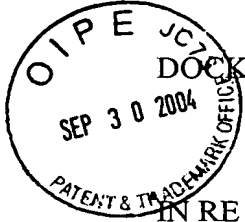
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